

## General Assembly

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## "AN ACT CONCERNING APPLICATION OF THE PROPERTY TAX TO QUASI-PUBLIC AGENCIES."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2003) A municipality, by ordinance, may enact a property tax relief program under which a resident sixty years of age or older with an adjusted gross income of less than one hundred thousand dollars shall be eligible to have the property tax on such resident's primary residence remain at the level of such tax on the effective date of this section. The municipality shall require that, in order to be eligible for the program, the person shall have owned such residence for not less than three years, and the assessed value of such property shall be adjusted to include any improvement to the property, provided any such program shall provide that the property tax relief shall terminate upon the death of such resident, unless such property is transferred to the resident's surviving spouse, who meets the other eligibility requirements and

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16 continues to use the property as a primary residence."